

FORCES TO RE-ENFORCE U. S. FORCES ON BORDER

Regiments of Infantry and One of Cavalry Will Go From Galveston.

GARRISON DENIES EMERGENCY

Indicates That Movements Comprise Merely Part of General Plan Evolved by Funston for Strengthening His Positions.

WASHINGTON, August 31.—Two regiments of infantry and one of cavalry were ordered from Galveston tonight to re-enforce American troops on the Mexican border at the request of Major-General Funston, commanding border patrol.

Secretary Garrison said no emergency existed at this time, so far as he knew, and indicated that the troop movements comprised merely a part of a general plan evolved by General Funston for strengthening his positions.

BE READY TO MOVE ON SHORT NOTICE

GALVESTON, TEX., August 31.—Orders have been issued by Major-General Franklin Bell, commanding the border division, United States Army, to commanders of the Fourth and Ninth Regiments of Infantry and the Tenth Cavalry to hold their commands ready to entrain on short notice.

General Bell announced that the Ninth Infantry and Sixth Cavalry are lined up for Harlingen, Tex.; two battalions of the Nineteenth Infantry for Rio and the other two battalions for Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio.

INTENDED FOR TRYING TO INCITE MEXICANS

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., August 31.—J. Hernandez and Lucio Luna, who, taking at a large gathering of Mexicans on Sunday night, made remarks calculated to incite Mexicans to revolt against the United States, were sentenced in Police Court today to 300 days in jail.

Dominicano Hernandez, who distributed a pamphlet urging a social revolution, was sent to jail for 100 days on vagrancy charge. The trio probably will be given into the hands of the federal authorities after the jail sentences expire.

Twenty-four other Mexicans tried for vagrancy were allowed their freedom after proof they were working.

HELD FOR THEFT

Charge Matthews and Hare With Stealing Cosmo's \$672.

Nick Matthews was brought back to city yesterday by Detective Wiltshire from Hopewell, where he had been arrested at the residence of the officer on a charge of stealing \$672 from John Cosmo, 6 North Ninth Street.

Matthews will be arraigned in the Court this morning with Nick who is alleged to have assisted in the robbery. In Hare's room, Detective Wiltshire and Bryant found books showing deposits of \$195, also recovered \$73. Both the books and the roll of bills were hidden under the wall.

Matthews' brother, Hare, was arrested Monday afternoon at once for the same offense. Cosmo learned of this and at once notified the Hopewell police and have them arrest Matthews. The two were unable to find any more money alleged to have been stolen by Cosmo Sunday night, climbed his bed and stole the money from his trousers' pocket.

DON'T OPPOSE SUFFRAGE

Congressman Flood Seems to Have Relented in Attitude Toward Movement.

Congressman H. D. Flood seems to have relented somewhat in his attitude toward woman's suffrage, according to Miss Adele Clarke, organizer of the Equal Suffrage League of Virginia. At Carterville, during a suffrage rally, Miss Clarke encountered the Tenth District Representative. Previously Congressman Flood was quoted as saying that he would not support the national suffrage amendment to the national constitution on the ground that it was a matter of States' rights.

At Carterville, Mr. Flood told Miss Clarke that he had not given the matter the serious thought to which it was entitled. "But I am not opposed to the measure," he added.

Mrs. B. B. Valentine, president of the league, will leave to-day for Staunton, where she will deliver an address in behalf of "the cause" at the Augusta County Fair.

Hurt by Accidental Discharge.

Ambulance Surgeon Doggett yesterday afternoon treated Edward Caselle, 323 South Laurel Street, for a bullet wound in the shoulder. The man was shot at the house of his brother-in-law near Randolph and Blair Street, and was cleaning the pistol when one of its chambers exploded, he told the ambulance surgeon. The bullet grazed the collar bone, but came on Caselle's foot thought to have been badly injured and was able to go to his home after being treated.

Try Christian on September 9.

The case against Robert Christian, colored, arrested on a charge of aiding five negroes in an attempt to break jail early Monday morning, was continued until September 9, in the Police Court yesterday. It is said that the police are endeavoring to locate several other negroes who are believed to have assisted in the attempted escape.

Charged With Stealing.

Detective Sergeant Krenzel and Assistant yesterday arrested Douglas H. Hoke, colored, on a charge of stealing pocketbook, containing 90 cents, and watch and chain, valued at \$25, from Mrs. Gatewood. The case will be heard in the Police Court to-day.

Charged With Forgery.

Justice Crutchfield sent Billy Green, colored, on to the grand jury yesterday on a charge of forging the name of William Miller to a check for \$55 attempting to pass it. The negro was arrested in Charleston, W. Va., and brought back here by Detective Krenzel.

Langhorne Returns to City.

James Morris Langhorne returned to city yesterday, after an extensive tour of West Virginia, Kentucky and Ohio. Mr. Langhorne reports bumper crops in the territory through which he traveled.

Summary of Operations of the Building Inspector's Office from January 1 to August 31, 1915

Number of permits issued for new work	31
Number of permits issued for alterations	73
Total number of permits issued	104
Estimated cost of new improvements	\$102,825 00
Estimated cost of alterations and repairs	\$4,304 00
Total cost of work authorized in August	\$107,129 00
Average value of permit for new work	\$3,310 483
Average value of permit for alterations	1,293 038
Average value of total permits issued	1,804 413

NEW STRUCTURES			
No. of Bldgs.	No. of Bldgs.	Amount.	No. of Bldgs.
Brick dwellings	5	\$ 350 00	146
Frame dwellings	7	0 00	33
Brick stores	2	0 00	33
Frame sheds	21	0 00	118
Brick stables	8	0 00	2
Apartment-houses	1	0 00	8
Warehouses and manufactories	1	0 00	3
Schools	1	0 00	3
Hospitals	1	0 00	2
Office buildings	1	0 00	1
Rest stations	1	0 00	1
Total	65	\$ 350 00	605

ALTERATIONS, REPAIRS, 1915.			
No. of Bldgs.	No. of Bldgs.	Amount.	No. of Bldgs.
Brick dwellings	1	\$ 14,071 00	97
Frame dwellings	1	6,404 00	275
Warehouses and manufactories	1	6,500 00	39
Brick stores	1	1,850 00	79
Frame sheds	1	1,050 00	135
Schools	1	59,140 00	13
Private stables	1	925 00	10
Private garages	1	3,310 00	15
Office buildings	1	380 00	6
Theaters	1	0 00	2
Churches	1	0 00	6
Hospitals	1	450 00	3
Public garages	1	0 00	1
Museums	1	0 00	1
Halls	1	0 00	2
Total	83	\$ 84,394 00	564

Total number of examinations and reports	76
Amount of new work from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31, 1915	\$1,899,945 00
Amount of repair work from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31, 1915	360,403 00
Total amount of work authorized from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31, 1915	\$2,260,348 00
Decrease in new work in August, 1915, as compared with August, 1914, amounts to \$51,025.00; increase in alteration and repair work in August, 1915, as compared with August, 1914, amounts to \$84,834.00, making a net increase of all work authorized in August, 1915, as compared with August, 1914, of \$33,809.00.	

POSTMASTER FILES REPORT ON PARCEL POST METHODS

Advices Postmaster-General How Traffic is Handled in Local Office. Has Efficient Method.

Following a request from the Post-Office Department that the Richmond office, together with a few other of the larger offices of the country, advise the department of its method of handling parcel post packages, Postmaster H. T. Thornton yesterday sent in his report of how this class of mail is handled at the local office. The department is anxious to settle upon the most efficient and most efficient method of handling parcel post matter, with a view to its introduction, it is understood, of introducing this method for general adoption in all the offices of the country.

Mr. Thornton believes that the local office has evolved the most efficient method of taking care of parcel post matter now in vogue in any post-office in the United States, and took much pride in outlining the method to the department. The checking system, under which a complete record of the condition of all damaged packages, from the time they reach the office until they are delivered to the addressee, has proved especially valuable in tracing the source of damage and is believed to be entirely original with this office.

WILL BUILD MEMORIAL HALL TO POLK MILLER

Bon Air Citizens' Association Plans Fitting Tribute to Memory of Entertainer.

As a fitting tribute to the late Polk Miller, known throughout the South as a master of the banjo and negro impersonator, the Citizens' Association of Bon Air, his home, has a plan on foot to erect a memorial hall to him.

"With this end in view, a cabaret dance will be given to-morrow night at 8:30 o'clock at the Bon Air Inn, the proceeds to be the nucleus of the fund with which to erect the memorial building. Arrangements for the performance are being carried out by Miss Carrie Moore and Mrs. H. Carl Boschen. Well-known local talent will take part. When the building is completed the residents of Bon Air will use it as a clubhouse, and it will stand for the man who gave much of his time to furnishing pleasure and amusement for others.

FORBES IN CANADA

Report That Well-Known Richmonder Has Enlisted Lacks Confirmation.

W. P. Leaman yesterday received from Blanchard S. Forbes a postal note, dated at Montreal, August 28, in which Mr. Forbes stated that he is on a vacation trip in Canada. This is at variance with letters received here indicating that Mr. Forbes had enlisted with the Canadian forces for service in the European war.

W. S. Forbes, the father of Blanchard Forbes, it is said, left Richmond last Saturday for Montreal for the purpose of discharging his son from his intention to enlist in a Canadian regiment.

William P. Forbes, a brother, said last night that he was not certain whether Blanchard Forbes had enlisted.

"My brother left home several weeks ago and hinted that he might enlist," Mr. Forbes said. "My father advised him not to do so. Whether he has done so or not I do not know."

Wants Money for Street Lights.

The Administrative Board yesterday adopted a resolution introduced by Commissioner Hirschberg asking Mayor Ainslie to recommend to the Council an ordinance appropriating \$20,000 for a special electric-lighting fund to be used in lighting the streets. The money will be expended during 1916.

Bids for Gas Radiators.

Superintendent Knowles, of the Gas Department, was instructed by the Administrative Board yesterday to advertise for bids for the installation of gas radiators in the rest houses at William Byrd and Chimborazo Parks.

Southside Lawn Party.

For the benefit of the Ladies Aid Society of Weatherford Memorial Baptist Church, a lawn party will be held on Friday night at the home of Mrs. E. G. Hoker, 2115 Hull Street, South Richmond. A free musical program will be rendered.

Repair Brewery at Once.

Damage caused by fire to the plant of the Home Brewing Company will be immediately repaired, according to E. R. Fuller, general manager, and full operation will be shortly resumed.

PRESIDENT IS INDORSED BY KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS

In State Platform Convention, They Declare in Favor of His Renomination.

LOUISVILLE, KY., August 31.—Kentucky Democrats, in State platform convention here tonight, indorsed the administration of President Wilson and declared in favor of his renomination. The resolution, adopted unanimously, read in part:

"We believe that his mastery of the situation (referring to the European war) requires his nomination in 1916, and heartily indorse him as the party's

efficient and trusted leader in the coming national election, believing that patriots without regard to the party recognize Woodrow Wilson as the one man best suited to bear the burdens and perform the Herculean tasks now confronting the President of the United States."

The convention declared in favor of county local option in preference to State-wide prohibition; a constitutional amendment permitting convict labor on public roads, and eliminating the prison contract system; changes in the State taxation system; education reforms; an anti-pass law; a workmen's compensation act; anti-trust laws and a corrupt practices act.

W. B. Haldeman, of Louisville, was named as national committeeman to succeed Urey Woodson, of Owensboro.

FUNERAL OF JOHN D. LONG

Extreme Simplicity Marks Solemn Services at Hingham.

HINGHAM, MASS., August 31.—The funeral to-day of John D. Long, former Secretary of the Navy, was marked by extreme simplicity. The service in the Third Unitarian Church consisted of Scripture reading and prayer. There was no eulogy. For an hour the body lay in state. Business was suspended during the afternoon.

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 27 in. by 9 ft. size; sale price \$4.50
 27 in. by 10 ft. 6 in. size; sale price \$5.25
 27 in. by 12 ft. size; sale price \$6.00
 36 in. by 9 ft. size; sale price \$5.50
 36 in. by 10 ft. 6 in. size; sale price \$6.25
 36 in. by 12 ft. size; sale price \$7.00

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This decision of the Superior Jury of Award reflects the opinion of the largest users of motor trucks throughout the world—and is in accordance with the actual service results of motor truck experience. The points of merit upon which the Grand Prize is awarded are identical with those that have determined the selection of White Trucks by America's foremost firms in every line of business.

White supremacy in the motor truck industry is thus recognized by the highest award that can be bestowed by the greatest exposition the world has ever known—just as this supremacy has been recognized by motor truck users for many years.

REGARDING OTHER CLAIMS

The decision of the Superior Jury is final in the matter of Exposition awards. Hence any announcements of other motor truck manufacturers, claiming to have received the Grand Prize and Highest Award for motor trucks at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, are automatically denied by this decision of the Superior Jury of Award.

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